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	Claims		NC
Inventive step (IS)	Claims	1, 2	YE
	Claims		NO
Industrial applicability (IA)	Claims	1, 2	YE
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2. Citations and explanations

The inventions of claims 1 and 2 are neither described in any of the documents cited in the ISR nor obvious to a person skilled in the art. In particular, the point of a handle shaft being slid and fixed upon self-standing storage so as to configure a self-standing stand is not described in any of the documents.